

Decorations

This is the second year that Torrance streets feature suspended Christmas decorations.

These decorations are sponsored by the Retail Merchants Division of the Torrance Chamber of Commerce and cost \$2000. The decorations were made by the Jones Decorating company.

COLD DEFENSES

The body's natural defenses against cold are being investigated at the Los Angeles Medical center of the University of California, according to Dr. Alan Hemingway of the physiology department.

More Building Complaints Brought Before Council

Coming in the light of recent complaints by Torrance residents concerning faulty building practices in certain areas, one amendment to the building code ordinance has already been made by the Planning Commission and accepted by the City Council.

The amendment, which was recommended by the Building Department, requires that all concrete floors be reinforced by 6x6 No. 10 wire mesh from now on. This provision will prevent concrete slabs from splitting the way that they have frequently been observed to do, especially when set on adobe.

In the meantime City Attorney James Hall has taken steps to investigate the complaints registered by North Torrance residents two weeks ago concerning poor building practices. More Homeowners Complain

Various examples of alteration of building plans without notification, poor workmanship, and damage to houses during construction were some of the complaints listed. A detailed list of grievances with names and addresses as well as access to the homeowner's records were placed at the city's disposal.

"We feel that our grievances will be of interest to you," the letter read in part, "since they concern various examples of non-compliance with certain building code and

city ordinances, to the extent that these homes are in many cases unsafe and unsanitary."

Councilman Victor Benstead moved that a reinspection of the tract involved be made. He was seconded by Councilman Nick Drake. The move was unanimously carried.

IRRIGATION STUDY

The cause of and a solution to the problem of surging in open type pipe irrigation sys-

tems have been suggested in a study by Arthur Pillsbury and Edward Taylor on the Los Angeles campus of the University of California.

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Huge Tract Development Hits Snag

Tract maps for the first 380 homes of the huge 2400-home Milton Kauffman development planned to be constructed west of Hawthorne Ave. and south of 190th St. were unanimously held up by the City Council at its last meeting when Councilman Victor Benstead discovered that the building plan called for "islands" in the tract for "future oil development."

The presence of such islands would quickly depreciate the value of the residential areas, the councilman stated and the homeowners would gain nothing by way of compensation since the mineral rights would be retained by the Dominguez Estates Co.

The granting of the tract map will be held up until some agreement can be reached.

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